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Applicant: Edward B. Boden, et al. )  
Serial No.: 10/656,985 ) Group Art Unit: 2168  
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For: A METHOD, SYSTEM AND STORAGE ) Confirmation No: 9696  
MEDIUM FOR PROVIDING DYNAMIC )  
DEPLOYMENT OF GRID SERVICES )  
OVER A COMPUTER NETWORK )

RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

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In response to the Final Office Action dated November 15, 2006, the Applicants submit  
the following amendment and remarks for entry in the above-entitled application.